

## **PERSIA Model**

### **Political, Economic, Religious, Social, Intellectual, Area**

#### **Political Influences:**

- Structure
- War
- Treaties
- Courts/Laws
- Leaders
- Popular participation
- Loyalty to leader

#### **Economic Influences:**

- State control of trade/industry
- Agriculture/Industry importance
- Labor systems
- Levels of technology
- Levels of international trade
- Gender and slaves
- Money system

#### **Religious Influences:**

- Importance on societal interaction
- Holy books
- Beliefs/teachings
- Conversion – role of missionaries
- Sin/salvation
- Deities

#### **Social Influences:**

- Family order –patriarchal, matriarchal
- Gender relations – role of women, children
- Social classes – slavery
- Entertainment
- Life styles

#### **Intellectual Influences – The Arts:**

- Art and music
- Writing and literature
- Philosophy
- Math/science
- Education
- Inventions

#### **Area – Geographic Influences:**

- Location
- Physical
- Movement

